



IS THAT LOCAL?

To be certain the items you are reporting are **locally grown/raised and unprocessed**, make sure the answers to the following two questions are **YES!**

1) Was the food **GROWN/RAISED** in one of the following states?

If you're unsure, check the UPC or other label on the box for the name and location of the farm.

- District of Columbia
- Maryland
- Virginia
- West Virginia
- North Carolina
- Pennsylvania
- Delaware
- New Jersey

Local bread products

Was the dough assembled, proofed and baked at a bakery located in the states listed above?

**Preference shall be given to bread products produced by bakeries based in the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia.*

2) Is the food **UNPROCESSED**? If it went through one of the following processes, it is still considered “unprocessed.”

- Cooling, refrigerating or freezing
- Peeling, slicing, dicing, cutting, chopping, shucking or grinding
- Drying or dehydration
- Washing
- Cold pasteurization
- Vacuum packing, bagging or placing in cartons (as with eggs)
- Butchering (as with livestock, fish or poultry)

****Remember, please report only items that are processed locally (according to the above methods) if they have also been grown/raised locally!!**